

DOI Work Activity 2F: Perform Oil and Gas Compliance Inspections

Program Area:	Resource Use - Energy
End Outcome Goal:	UEO 1 - ENERGY - Manage or Influence Resource Use to Enhance Public Benefit, Responsible Development, and Economic Value
Intermediate Outcome:	UIO 1.2 (Fossil Fuels) - Enhance Responsible Use Management Practices
DOI Sub process:	4b - Conduct inspections

Examples/Notes:

Work Activity Description: Oil and Gas compliance inspections are actions conducted after lease operations have been authorized to ensure that operations are conducted in accordance with regulations, lease terms, Onshore Operating Orders, notices to lessees and permit conditions of approval. A compliance inspection begins when a well is permitted and ends when final abandonment is approved. Types of inspection include drilling & work-over inspections, environmental compliance, well summary review, USCG inspections, abandonment, meter inspections, and operator training inspections and annual performance review of operators.

Includes all support costs and costs to create/update manual and automated records; coordinating with other offices and industries; developing an inspection plan matrix; other studies related to compliance, conducting inspection and compliance activities. Resolution work involves reviewing and analyzing each established case, enforcement actions (inspection INCs), processing civil penalties, accident investigation, events analysis, etc.

For BLM this does not include geophysical inspections/compliance.

Output: Inspections	Unit of Measure: Number of inspection reports completed.
Inputs:	Cost Drivers:

System Interfaces:

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